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**RESPONSE TO E-MAIL NOTIFICATION DATED 3/24/2004**

The undersigned received on 3/24/2004 an e-mail communication from the examiner in  
the above identified case. The examiner proposed amendments to the specification and claims.

**Applicant agrees with all suggested changes and herewith authorizes an  
examiner's amendment for correcting the informalities indicated in the e-mail  
communication.**

Should the Examiner have any further objections or suggestions, the undersigned would  
appreciate a phone call or e-mail ([gudrun.draudt@t-online.de](mailto:gudrun.draudt@t-online.de)) from the examiner to discuss  
appropriate amendments to place the application into condition for allowance.

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**From:** Nolan, Sandra  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 24, 2004 7:57 AM  
**To:** 'gudrun.draudt@t-online.de'  
**Subject:** SN. 09/130593 (Suggested changes)

Dr. G.E. Hockett:

This note is being sent in the interest of expedited prosecution and in view of the time difference between your office hours and mine.

It is suggested that applicant submit a Supplemental Amendment to make the following changes:

In the Specification:

Page 1, line 16; page 4, line 7 and page 12, line 8, insert a hyphen [-] after "poly" at the end of each line.

Page 6, lines 18-19, change the final compound to read --polyvinyl-fluoride--.

In the Claims:

In claims 1 and 3-5, insert a hyphen [-] after "poly" when it appears at the end of a line.

This communication is being sent at the express request of applicant's representative, Ms. Gudrun E. Hockett, Ph.D. (REg. No. 35,747). See the penultimate paragraph of the 12 January 2004 response (faxed on 01 January 2004).

**Alternatively**, if applicants want the suggested changes to be made via Examiner's Amendment, send a fax authorizing these changes to my RightFax line: **571/273-1495**.

**Please reply by c.o.b. on Thursday, 25 March 2004.**

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